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DURRANT

Tells His Story of the Murders Charged to Him.

HIS PART ACTED WELL,

BUT THE PUBLIC GENERALLY DOES NOT THINK HIM INNOCENT.

Answered Briefly and to the Point—Hesitated Slightly When Asked if He Had Attended Dr. Cheney's Lecture on April 3—Testified That No One Had Accompanied Him to the Church.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—Theodore Durrant, assistant superintendent of Emanuel church Sunday school, was placed on the stand today for the purpose of convincing the jury selected to try him that he did not murder Blanche Lamont in the belfry of the church on April 3. With the same coolness that has characterized his conduct since his arrest, he denied the principal allegations that have been made against him by the most important witnesses for the prosecution. His answers were always brief and to the point, and many were interpreted to mean that he had studied his part well before taking the stand. Only once during the course of the direct examination did he show any nervousness or hesitancy. When Attorney Dickinson asked him if he took notes at Dr. Cheney's lecture on the afternoon of April 3, he cast his eyes toward the floor and for a moment was silent. He replied that he had taken notes, but that they were brief.

A significant feature of the testimony was the fact that while Durrant was telling of several incidents that took place at a prayermeeting held on the evening of April 3, Mrs. C. N. Noble, Blanche Lamont's aunt, shook her head several times as if to indicate that the statements by the prisoner of what he had positive knowledge were not correct. Durrant did not look at Mrs. Noble while he was testifying.

The purpose of the defense to curtail cross-examination as much as possible was shown when District Attorney Barnes asked the first question. Durrant was asked if he was not born at Toronto, Canada, April 24, 1871. Attorney Duprey objected to the question. He said Durrant could have no possible knowledge on the subject, and any belief that he might have would be based upon hearsay. The court overruled the objection, and the prisoner gave an affirmative answer.

The examination of Durrant was begun with the questions relative to his age and early life in this city. Coming down to the day upon which Blanche Lamont was murdered, the prisoner was asked to relate his movements from the time he left his home in the morning until he returned at night. He said he met Miss Lamont on her way to school and rode with her on a streetcar until he reached Cooper Medical college. He said he remained at the college until 10 o'clock, when he and another student went for a walk. When he returned an hour later he went to the library, where he was engaged in his studies until noon. Then he went to luncheon with a student named Diggins, and returned at 1 o'clock. After luncheon Durrant remained in the library until 3:50 o'clock, when he attended Dr. Cheney's lecture. He said he was present at the roll call at the close of the lecture and answered to his name. At the close of the lecture he boarded a streetcar and rode to Emanuel church for the purpose of repairing the sunburners.

He denied that he was accompanied by Blanche Lamont or anybody else. Upon entering the church he said he left his coat and vest in the library, obtained the necessary tools, and ascended to the gallery. A blackboard was provided and Durrant drew a rude sketch of the church and its tall spire to illustrate the manner in which he made the repairs. He said to make the repairs it was necessary for him to lie at full length on a plank with his head much lower than his feet. In this position he inhaled so much gas that he was made ill. To illustrate the manner in which the gas escaped Durrant took a burner and descended to the jurybox explained the construction of the burner to the jury.

After repairing the burner Durrant said that he descended to the auditorium, where he found George King playing the organ. King remarked that Durrant looked pale. Durrant replied that King would be in the same condition if he had been nearly overcome by escaping gas. At Durrant's request King bought some bromo seltzer, which the prisoner drank. The medicine made him feel better, and at 6 o'clock Durrant left the church in company with King. He went out of his way two blocks to converse with King, after which they separated and Durrant went home to dinner. Durrant said he felt ill and ate but little.

In the evening he went to prayer meeting at Emanuel church. He saw Mrs. Noble and asked her if Blanche was coming to prayermeeting. Mrs. Noble replied that she did not believe her niece would be present. He related a number of other minor incidents in connection with his conversation with Mrs. Noble, who evidently did not indorse his statement, from the fact that she shook her head several times. At the close of the services Durrant said he went home and retired. Durrant denied that on the afternoon of April 3 he was at the corner of Powell and Clay streets, testified to by Mrs Vogel. He also denied the statement of three schoolgirls, who testified that Durrant and Blanche Lamont boarded a Powell streetcar at Clay street and rode toward Market. He said he did not ride on a westbound Valencia streetcar with Blanche Lamont, as testified to by Mrs Crosswell. He said he was never in Oppenheim's pawnshop.

"Did you, on April 3, in San Francisco or elsewhere," asked Attorney Duprey, "inflict any violence upon Blanche Lamont, or did you kill or participate in killing her?"

Durrant replied that he did not, and said the direct examination was at an end.

Killed In a Wreck.

BUCYRUS, O., Oct. 10.—In a wreck caused by two cars jumping the track on the Nickel Plate two tramps were killed and a third is supposed to be under the debris.

One-Sided Game of Football.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 10.—The Yale-Amherst game of football played here yesterday resulted in a score of 38 to 0 in favor of the former team.

THE POPE WRITES A LETTER

On Recent Celebration of Entry of Italian Troops Into Rome.

ROME, Oct. 10.—The letter of his holiness Pope Leo XIII to Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state, on the recent fetes in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the entry of the Italian troops into Rome, is as follows:

The sentiment of humanity, which even minds dominated by passion retain, seemed to permit of the hope of some consideration in our old age, but this had been brutally ignored. We have been reduced to become almost immediate witnesses of the apotheosis of the Italian revolution and the spoliation of the holy see. That which most afflicted us is the design to perpetuate rather than to terminate the conflict, of which no one can measure the disastrous effects.

The final objection of the occupation of Rome was not to complete political unity, but in destroying the walls of the temporal metropolis, to more closely attack the spiritual power of the popes. The object was to change the destinies of Rome, return it to paganism and give birth to a third Rome and a third era of civilization. That is what it was desired to celebrate recently under the sanction of the new law by noisy demonstrations conducted by a sect which is the enemy of God. The nation suffers, for not only are the promises of mutual benefits unfulfilled, but, morally, Italy is divided and subversive to factions which menace all civil and social institutions in augmenting numbers and force. Nothing will ever confer veritable independence upon the papacy so long as it does not have temporal jurisdiction. This condition they pretend having guaranteed us, subordinated to the arbitrary will of others and lately there has been a suggestion of a threat to abrogate even the guarantee itself.

The letter of the pope then vaunts the blessings of pontifical sovereignty, and invites Italians not to be bound up with sects, and to consider how pernicious it would be to perpetuate the conflict which is profiting the enemies of christianity. It then affirms that the head of the church follows with loving vigilance humanity's road, and does not refuse to accept the reasonable necessities of the times. The letter of his holiness concludes with:

If Italians, throwing off the Masonic yoke, would listen to us, we could open our heart to the fondest hopes. Otherwise we can but predict new perils and greater disasters.

IN PASTURES NEW.

Florida Athletic Club Moves Headquarters to Hot Springs, Ark.

DALLAS, Oct. 10.—The Florida Athletic club has moved its headquarters to Hot Springs, Ark., where it will hold its pugilistic carnival of three days, commencing Oct. 31, the date originally selected and already given out. All the parties to the contest have fully agreed and the matter is settled.

Will Show His Hand Later.

LITTLE ROCK, Oct. 10.—Governor Clarke, when shown the Dallas telegram about the change of the Florida Athletic club to Hot Springs, said he had nothing to say at this time. He would wait and see if the change was made, and would then take such steps as the law authorized.

Action of Priest Produced Much Feeling.

DETROIT, Oct. 10.—During a funeral of an army veteran at Port Huron yesterday Father Spaeth, the Catholic priest who officiated, forbade the pallbearers to enter his church while wearing Grand Army badges, on the ground that regalia of any society not approved by the church is not permitted to be worn in the churches. The incident created a great deal of feeling at Port Huron.

Atlanta Receives the Liberty Bell.

ATLANTA, Oct. 10.—In his speech welcoming the guardians of the Liberty bell, Governor Atkinson of Georgia referred to the Cuban war, and expressed the hope that the island may soon be free, and added that the United States should not permit England to lay violent hands upon Venezuela. He was heartily applauded.

Causes Amazement.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—The statements made by Lord Sackville in a pamphlet marked "for private circulation only," a copy of which was obtained here by the correspondent of the New York World, and the substance of which was printed in the United States yesterday, have caused amazement in diplomatic circles.

Death List Increasing.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 10.—Details have reached here of the capsizing of a raft on the river Oka. It is now learned that there were 200 factory hands on board the raft when it capsized. It is feared that the deathlist will be largely increased by the final record.

Will Make a Speech.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Secretary Carlisle will leave here tomorrow for Boston, where he will speak at the dinner to be given Saturday evening by the Massachusetts Reform club. Mr. Carlisle will stop at Gray Gables en route.

Congregational Council In Session.

SYRACUSE, Oct. 10.—The triennial session of the national council of the Congregational churches of the United States opened a six days' session in the Plymouth Congregational church yesterday. About 300 delegates are present.

WRECKED

Two Passenger Coaches Jump the Track.

THE ENGINEER IS KILLED

AND A NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Derailed Cars Struck by a Freight Train With Such Force as to Knock Them a Distance of Forty Feet—A Dozen Passengers Seriously Wounded and Several Fatally Injured.

MANOR, Pa., Oct. 10.—While mail train No. 13 on the Pennsylvania road going west was passing through this town at 7 o'clock last night, the two rear coaches jumped the track, swinging against an eastbound freight train which struck the passenger cars with such force as to knock them over a 40-foot gully against a coal train standing on the siding. Conductor J. W. Miller of Derby was standing beside his engine and was instantly killed. The one coach turned completely over on its side. Mrs. Thomas Donohue of Greensburg was thrown through a window, but escaped without a scratch, while her husband, who sat beside her in the train, was badly injured. About 10 passengers were seriously injured. John Baker, assistant station agent at this place, was struck by one of the coaches and is fatally injured. Mrs. John Pace of Allegheny was taken from the wreck in a dying condition.

WOMEN IN COUNCIL.

Paper Read on "Significance of Red Cross Movement."

ATLANTA, Oct. 10.—The National Council of Women held its third session this afternoon in the hall of the Women's building at the exposition. An interesting paper was read on "The Significance of the Red Cross Movement," by Miss Clara Barton of Washington. Miss Barton said, in part:

The purposes of the Red Cross movement are neutral. It makes neutral all sick, disabled or wounded soldiers. All supplies of medicine or food are equally distributed; all field and military hospitals are used in common.

It provides for the sending of wounded men to their homes rather than to prisons, that friend and foe should be nursed together, and most of all, that the people who had always been forcibly restrained from approaching any field action for the purpose of relief, however needful, should not be allowed this privilege, but should arm and equip themselves with relief of all kinds with the right to enter the lines of the helpless, thus relieving not only the wounded and dying, but the entire armies.

THE WAR IN CUBA.

Insurgents Appear Near Havana and Cause Consternation.

MADRID, Oct. 10.—The Imparcial yesterday published a dispatch from Havana saying that a band of insurgents has appeared in the province of Havana, where it has caused consternation. The dispatch adds that the troops have succeeded in driving the insurgents from the vicinity of Remedios, province of Santa Clara.

Several Small Engagements.

HAVANA, Oct. 10.—A band of 20 insurgents has been raised in the Vuelta Abajo district.

A skirmish has taken place between Gabriel and Gayojabas.

A number of civil guards has engaged a small band of insurgents at Recreo, in the Matanzas district. The insurgents left two wounded on the field.

Another skirmish has taken place at Carmito between a small detachment of troops and 13 insurgents, who left one killed and two wounded behind them.

The column of troops commanded by Colonel Molino while skirmishing near Santa Fe, in the Sagua district, had a brush with the insurgents, killing one and wounding two of the enemy.

It is reported here that, according to official advices, the British consul at Nuevitas, province of Puerto Principe, has joined the insurgents.

CREMATED.

Six Children Dead and the Father Badly Burned.

TWEED, Ont., Oct. 10.—A fire attended with terrible results occurred Tuesday night at Snider, a station on the Canadian Pacific railway, 30 miles north of this town. A house occupied by Thomas Lindsay, his wife and 11 children was destroyed and six of the children were burned to death. Lindsay himself was badly burned and was almost suffocated in attempting to save the children.

Dispensary Law Sustained.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 10.—In the United States court yesterday Circuit Judge Simonton rendered a decision in the case of Lowenstein & Company of Statesburg, N. C., who tried to have the dispensary law declared unconstitutional on the grounds of being a monopoly. The decision sustained the law, and the suit was dismissed.

American Vessel Sold.

OTTAWA, Oct. 10.—The American fishing tug Gray, which was seized by the government in April, 1891, for illegal fishing and condemned by the admiralty court at Toronto, has been sold at public auction for $1,260 in order to satisfy a judgment.

Steamer Lost.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 10.—A dispatch received by Machrea Brothers from Belize reports the loss of their steamer Freddie M. She was running on the Belize river, British Honduras. F. F. Benneca, a drummer of this city, was drowned.

CONVICT PLANS A MURDER.

It Was to Secure Money to Be Used In an Effort to Free Him.

SING SING, Oct. 10.—Warden Sage has submitted to General Lathrop, superintendent of state prisons at Albany, certain correspondence confiscated in Dr. Henry F. Meyer's cell, in Sing Sing prison, which shows up a plot on the part of the doctor to carry out a murder similar to the one for which he was convicted and sentenced to prison for life.

Meyer was tried for the murder by slow poison of Carl Brandt so that he could get the insurance on Brandt's life. Meyer wrote letters in German to his wife, who was arrested with him but was not tried, planning another murder so that she could get certain insurance money which was to be used in getting him out of prison.

The plan was called to the warden's attention some time ago when Meyer gave Chaplain Wells a letter written in German to Mrs Meyer. He asked the chaplain to mail it for him. When the letter was translated the plot was discovered. A watch was placed on the doctor and his cell was searched which brought to light letters and memorandas planning the murder. In the letters to his wife he said he would send her a prescription to be used which would do the work.

MUST HAVE THEIR BEER.

An Early Saloon Closing Ordinance Causes a Riot In Germany.

MUNSTER, Westphalia, Oct. 10.—There has been a growing agitation here for some time past against the order issued to close the beer gardens and other similar places for obtaining refreshments at a much earlier hour than customary. The result is that a number of serious conflicts have taken place between the police and the inhabitants in the streets of this city. Matters finally reached a crisis Monday evening when the gendarmes and police charged a mob of townspeople with drawn swords, wounding many of the latter. There is a very bitter feeling against the authorities and it is feared that there will be more trouble before long.

A NORTH POLE CHILD.

White Baby Born on Herschel Island In the Frozen Zone.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—A baby has been born to the wife of Captain A. W. Sherman of the steam whaler Beluga on Herschel island, 1,500 miles from the north pole, where the year consists of one day (six months) summer and one day (six months) winter. It is the first white child ever born so far north. Mrs. Peary's child is no longer a curiosity. The child has been christened Helen Herschel Sherman.

Tarred and Feathered Him.

HONOLULU, Oct. 10.—Frank Godfrey, a white victim discharged from the cholera hospital as cured, circulated a report that two patients had been buried alive. Indignant at the report, four men lured him to a lonely spot and tarred and feathered him.

Mrs. Grant Buys a Home.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Mrs. U. S. Grant has bought the home of ex-Senator Edmunds on Massachusetts avenue in the northwestern part of the city beyond Dupont circle, and will have her household belongings brought here from New York.

Nashville City Election.

NASHVILLE, Oct. 10.—The short but heated contest between the nominees of the Democratic party and the nominees of the A. P. A. for mayor and city councilmen will be closed this evening. Both sides claim a victory, but indications point to the election of the full Democratic ticket.

A MATCH

Caused a Terrible Explosion in an Opera House.

THE MANAGER WAS KILLED

AND OTHER PEOPLE TERRIBLY INJURED BY THE ACCIDENT

At Corsicana, Tex.—Manager of the Calcium Light Disemboweled and Leg Blown Off—Nine Others Badly Injured—Man Blown Through One of the Flies Out Into the Street.

CORSICANA, Tex., Oct. 10.—Yesterday evening a terrific explosion occurred in the Merchants' Opera House, where the "Devil's Auction" company were preparing to play. A force of stage workmen were engaged in readjusting the scenery and otherwise getting the stage in shape, and Harry Cooleridge, master of transportation and manager of calcium light of the company, was testing a cylinder. There arose some doubt as to whether it contained black gas, and a bystander suggested that he try it with a match. He struck the match and touched it to the cylinder, and the explosion at once followed, wrecking the scenery and tearing out two windows 30 feet distant. The noise was heard for many blocks in every direction, and in a few moments hundreds of people had congregated. The curiosity and horror of the crowd were fed from minute to minute by blackened and injured men running frantically out on the awning and to drug stores for relief from the injuries.

The stage presented a scene of devastation over which hung a cloud of smoke. Scenery lay around in disordered confusion, much of it totally wrecked. In the left fly there was a hole five feet square through which Arthur Sutherland had been blown into the street.

When the scenery was removed and the smoke and gas cleared away, Harry Cooleridge was found lying in a pool of blood. He was disemboweled and one of his legs blown entirely off. The following is a list of killed and injured:

Killed.

Harry Cooleridge.

Injured.

Walter Moore, property man "Devil's Auction" company, hand badly cut and otherwise bruised.

Arthur Sutherland, local stage manager, cut in face and bruised.

Bud Dibbies, colored, blown through property room and badly hurt.

Unknown negro, hand badly cut, and seriously injured.

Alcus Mansel, hands badly cut and seriously hurt.

Charles Ball, colored, face injured and bruised otherwise.

Roy Avery, hand hurt and bruised about face and body.

Two little girls, members of the "Devil's Auction" company, more or less bruised.

MISSING MONEY.

Party Implicated Refuses to Tell What Has Been Done With It.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 10.—City Attorney Moreland has been implicated in the mysterious disappearance of the $50,000 interest on city deposits drawn by his assistant, W. H. House. Chairman Thorn of the investigating committee announced yesterday that John D. Scully, ex-cashier of the First National bank, told him and Controller Gourley that the city attorney himself had authorized the payment of interest to House. Mr. Scully at first thought the account was a private one. Mr. House refused to appear before the committee to tell what disposition had been made of the money.

SEOUL QUIET.

Order Restored In Corea and the Queen Still Lives.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 10.—A dispatch received here from Seoul, the capital of Corea, announces that order has been restored there and that the Japanese troops are now guarding the palace. The cause of this action on the part of the Japanese commander at Seoul was that Tai-Ron-Kin, the king's father and leader of the anti-reform party, had entered the palace at the head of an armed force, threatening the queen's life. Although no definite statement on the subject is made in the dispatch from Seoul, it is believed the queen is still alive.

GEORGIA TRAGEDY.

Fiend Fatally Poisons Nine Children With "Rough on Rats."

GRIFFIN, Ga., Oct. 10.—News has just reached this city of a tragedy that occurred in Pike county, near Milner, on Monday, in which nine children lost their lives by poison administered by their father. It seems from the best information that Tom Speer, taking advantage of his wife's absence, and being prompted by jealousy, administered the fatal drug to his children. It was "rough on rats" and the fiend is now behind the bars.

ANOTHER BUTCHERY.

No Attempt Made to Stop the Killing of Armenians.

TREBIZONDE, Armenia, Oct. 10.—Serious conflicts between Turks and Armenians occurred here Tuesday. Many Armenians were killed.

The Turks were armed and the number of troops present here is small. No attempt was made to stop the massacre of the Armenians. In fact, it is even stated that the soldiers took part in the slaughter and in the pillage which accompanied it.

Unfounded Rumor.

PORT HOPE, Ont., Oct. 10.—There is no truth in the rumor that the steamer Northern King foundered in Lake Ontario Tuesday night. She left here yesterday on her trip to Rochester on regular time.

Bank Authorized.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The comptroller of the currency has authorized the First National bank of Alexandria, La., to begin business with a capital of $50,000.

Murderer Commits Suicide.

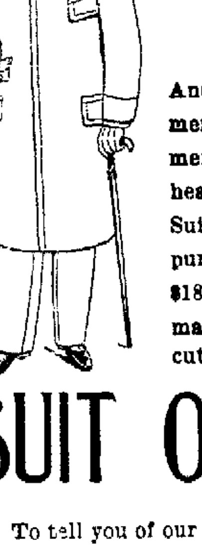
HASTINGS, Minn., Oct. 10.—Edward Anderson, who murdered his 12-year-old niece July 19, committed suicide in the county jail.

Russian Line of Steamers.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—The Vienna correspondent of The Times telegraphs that he hears on good authority that the Russian government is planning a line of fast steamers to run from Vladivostock to Shanghaia, in connection with the Siberian railway.

Earthquake In Newfoundland.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—A Herald special says that a severe earthquake shock has been felt in Ferryland, N. F. Bridges were destroyed, and a large extent of roadbed was torn up.



WEAR A STRAW HAT

IN OCTOBER,

And you'll be conspicuous, indeed. Yet the Summer Suit is just as much out of place as the Summer Hat, and it's decidedly risky as far as your health is concerned. You're going to buy a heavy Suit or Overcoat this season; then why delay its purchase? Especially when $10.00, $12.00, $15.00, $18.00 and $20.00 will buy a handsome, stylish, well made and correct fitting sack, double breasted or cutaway

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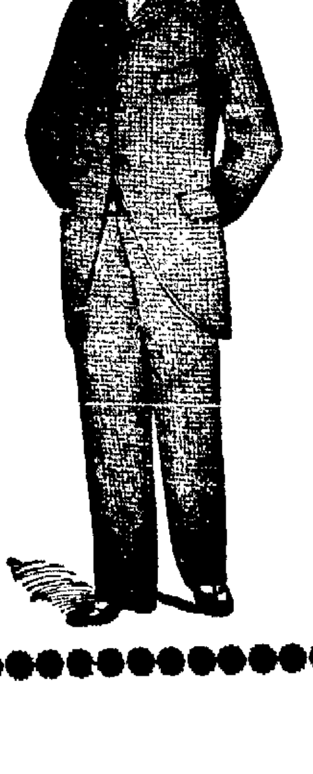

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A SPRINKLING OF SPICE.

Insolvent is a long word used to de-cribe a short condition.

How to make the new dress: Take the material for two skirts and make the sleeves: then take the material for one sleeve and make the skirt.

"Some people," remarked the cannibal chief, as he passed his plate for a second supply, "have a mission in life, while others only have a missionary "

"My old aunt has sent me a gallon jar of cherry brandy," said a toper to a party of friends, "and, though I don't care much for cherries, still I fully appreciate the spirit in which they were tendered." — *London Answers.*

Impure blood is the cause of boils, pimples and other eruptions. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures these troubles.

Breaking It Gently.

Some time ago a troopship was returning from abroad, and among the passengers was an old lady who had a favorite parrot, which she placed under the especial care of one of the sailors. On going to attend Polly one morning the latter was surprised to find the poor bird dead, and knowing how very much upset the old lady would be to hear of the death of her favorite, and not feeling equal to imparting the sad intelligence, he employed a brother tar, who was famous for his gentleness in matters of that nature Going up to the old lady with a very sad face, and touching his cap, he said:

"I don't think that 'ere parrot of yours will live long, marm."

"Oh, dear!" said the old lady "Why?"

"Why, cos he's dead," was the comforting reply.—Liverpool Mercury.

Wonderful Miniature Book.

The smallest bound book in the great collection of miniature books owned by the New York Library society is a campaign document issued in 1852. It bears not only the distinction of being the smallest volume in the great collection referred to, but has been pronounced by experts in booklore to be one of the tiniest books in existence. It contains but 14 leaves, each of which is closely printed on both sides in microscopic type. Each leaf is 1¼ inches in length and seven-eighths inch in width. The title page bears the following inscription: "Life and public services of General Pierce. Respectfully dedicated to General Lewis Cass. Concord Press. 1852."—St. Louis Republic.

Eyes and Electric Lights.

Physicians declare that electric lights will in time work blindness to many people. What the cool, restful green or soft dusks are to one's eyes the tranquil companionship of a rural few which grows to candid friendship, unvexed by distrust, is to one's mental health. Again their manifold fetors fill the night, and are more or less absorbed by the lungs, and must conduce to one's deterioration. The urban monster despoils the man, and the woman, of course, as well —New Orleans Times-Democrat.

If your children are subject to croup watch for the first symptom of the disease—hoarseness. If Chamberlains Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse it will prevent the attack. Even after the croupy cough has appeared the attack can alwas be prevented by giving this remedy. It is also invaluable for colds and whooping cough For sale by Melville Bros., next to P. O; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney disease pronounced incurable have been cured by the Citais Kidney Cure. Many physicians use it. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North streets.

INDUSTRY MENACED.

PROTECTIONISTS THREATEN FREE RAW MATERIALS.

A Return to the High Tariff Policy of Reed and McKinley Would Be a Serious Blow to Manufacturers and Workingmen. Industrial Peace Must Be Maintained.

As evidence of the danger threatened American manufacturers and workingmen by agitation against the new tariff the official returns of trade show that the imports of free raw materials of industry in the seven months ended in July amounted in value to $105,122,554 against $62,277 396 in the corresponding period of 1894, says the Philadelphia Record. This enormous increase in the imports of the crude materials of manufactures bears emphatic testimony to the rapid growth of American industries in the new era of freedom that is opened to them These raw materials consist of wool, hides, hemp, flax, jute, wood and many other articles which cannot be obtained in sufficient abundance in this country. When duties are imposed on them, as in the McKinley tariff, their importation is obstructed, and American manufactures consequently languish.

While the threats of the protectionists are mainly directed against free wool, their policy threatens all free raw materials. There is as much reason for imposing high protective duties on hides, skins, flax, hemp, lumber, etc., as on wool. It is not forgotten that when the McKinley tariff was in the committee on ways and means a majority of the committee proposed to put a protective duty on hides. The chief influence in favor of this duty was the great dressed beef combination in Chicago. But the angry protests of the tanners throughout the country and of the shoemakers in Massachusetts drove the Republicans in congress from their purpose. Hides were struck out of the bill, and the duties on wool were heavily increased. Many sincere protectionists deplored the inconsistency of a measure that taxed the raw materials of the woolen manufacturers and gave the manufacturers of leather goods their materials free. These honest protectionists could not see why the hide of an ox should not be taxed, as well as the wool of a sheep.

If the Republicans obtain sufficient power to re-enact the wool duties, as they threaten, a consistent policy will require them to restore the duties on hides, flax, hemp, lumber and all other raw materials of American industries. Every protectionist must recognize that it is rank injustice to single out the raw material of the woolen manufacturers and exempt the rest from taxation. Besides as long as any raw materials remain free they are object lessons teaching the benefits of free trade. While free wool is openly threatened, all other free raw materials are covertly menaced in the Republican attacks on the new tariff. Should the followers of Governor McKinley and ex-Speaker Reed ever be permitted to frame another tariff bill, they will slash the free list as it never was slashed before. The manufacturers and workingmen of the country whose materials are wool, flax, hemp, jute, hides, wood, dyestuffs, chemicals, etc., cannot too earnestly consider the inevitable consequences of a high tariff reaction. It must be evident to these and to all other manufacturers that their interest in maintaining the industrial peace is bound up with the policy of the Democratic party.

GOOD GOVERNMENT.

The Nation Feels the Benefits and Justice of Democratic Legislation.

The whole country, after suffering so long from the results of Republican misgovernment in congress, is now recuperating with marvelous gain on account of Democratic good government. Trade and labor under Democratic tariff of the people are more active, steadier and more profitable, and there is not a corner of the land that does not feel the stir of a newer and better industrial life.

And the reason is plain to every citizen, whenever he stops to think of it, because it is the simple, self evident reason of experience.

The citizen has felt everywhere—in the counting room, the mill, the workshop, the warehouse, the field, the street and the home—the wrongs and injustice of Republican legislation during its many years of power.

But the citizen feels now the benefits and justice of Democratic legislation during its few years of power. He realizes that "Cleveland times" mean prosperous times and can be inveigled to support no scheme to disturb existing business conditions merely to gratify Republican hopes for preferment and office.—Boston Globe.

Foraker and His Ilk.

Foraker was smart enough to humiliate Sherman, McKinley, Nash and the rest of his opponents in the Republican state convention, but he had not the foresight to kick the McKinley tariff hobby to pieces until it was too late. Fact is, Foraker and his faction do not seem sometimes to be politicians of skill and finesse, but merely creatures of luck and beneficiaries of lung power and brute force.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Growth of the Iron Industry.

An illustration of the improvement in the iron industry is furnished by the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, one of the leading pig iron manufacturing companies of the south Its sales last August footed up 107,923 tons as compared with 36,700 in August, 1894.—St. Louis Republic.

Maryland Democrats Intact.

The Maryland Republican managers are hard at work keeping Hon. Lloyd Lowndes off the stump. His inclination to boast of what the Republicans will do in Maryland next year, in case of success this year, was not causing a rapid disintegration of the Democracy.—Washington Post.

He "Tells His Tale."

Everybody remembers the lines in Milton's "Allegro:"

> And every shepherd tells his tale
> Under the hawthorn in the dale.

What kind of tale do shepherds tell beneath the shade in summer dell? Of love, be sure, the shepherd sings, and lovely ways and lovely things; of maid so coy and wooer shy, of whispered word and speaking eye, of songs and games at Christmastide, when mummers mark and hobbies ride, of maypole mirth and Whitsun ale, of dark December's ghostly tale, and kisses snatched, love's daring theft—the more you take the more are left. Such things the poet saw and heard; such songs, such simple tale, such word; what time the hot sun overhead made welcome all the hawthorn shade, and while the swain in sunny June beguiled the summer afternoon

I believe the above represents accurately what we understand by these two lines. A friend, however, whom I call the Destroyer, because he takes a fiendish pleasure in shattering these pretty looking visions of fantasy, tells me that Milton meant nothing of the kind. He simply alluded to a custom common in some parts of the country of driving the flock through a gap in the hedge on the other side of which the shepherd counts his sheep—i e, "tells his tale." I hope the Destroyer is not right, but there is his theory.—Walter Besant.

Tennyson Gets Snubbed.

He (Tennyson) desired to be introduced to her, or perhaps—for his ways were somewhat regal—desired that she might be presented to him. In whichever way it was the ceremony was transacted, and Tennyson's second remark was this question, "Oh, Lady ——, do I know Lord ——?" The person about whom he thus inquired was a peer, who, though young, had won much distinction in public life and was widely known in private. His wife, as it happened, was devoted to him, and jealous of any word which sounded like disparagement of his position or indifference to his renown.

She looked Tennyson in the face and answered, with perfect composure of manner "I am sure, Lord Tennyson, I can't say. I never heard him mention your name in my life." For a moment the poet was staggered by this straight hit from the shoulder, but he had the good sense and good temper to take it well —Smalley's Studies of Men.

Humors of Congress.

During an exciting debate in the house of representatives the members sometimes not only indulge in mixed metaphors but rival Sir Boyle Roche, the member of the Irish parliament most famous for his "bulls." The National Tribune prints these specimens:

A member in referring to one of his colleagues said:

"The gentleman, like a mousing owl, is always putting in his oar where it is not wanted."

In another speech occurred this expression:

"The iron heel of stern necessity darkens every hearthstone."

And another member in a very forcible and dramatic manner asked the house this startling question:

"Would you stamp out the last flickering embers of a life that is fast ebbing away?"

Electric Lights For Tigers.

A sportsman of Calcutta has employed the electric light with success in hunting tigers by night among the jungles of the Sunderbunds. It is usual to set a bait for the tiger—for instance the body of a cow or other animal—and watch for him from a raised platform or manchan close by. Instead of the blue light hitherto burned to illuminate the tiger in order to aim well, the gentleman in question has rigged up a 16 candle power electric lamp, fed by a portable battery of 30 capo farad cells, carried in his belt. The lamp, fitted with a reflector, is suspended from a tree over the bait. A switch beside the hunter enables him to start the light when the tiger is engaged in devouring his prey.—London Globe.

Baffled.

The word baffled now has a meaning entirely different from that applied to it 300 years ago. It is now understood to mean thwarted, foiled or disappointed, but then it was applied to the process of degradation by which a knight was disgraced. A baffled knight was one who had been pronounced guilty of conduct unbecoming one of his order and had accordingly been shorn of his plumes, his sword was broken before his eyes, his knightly robe torn away, his spurs cut off with a cleaver, and after being publicly chastised he was declared to be baffled. The word is used in this sense by Shakespeare and other writers of that time.

Sacrifice of Sight.

Said a well known optician: "You have no idea how many people come in here daily who want cheap glasses. Affection of the eyes, which require the nicest and most accurate adjustment to correct, and which cannot be done without good glasses, are deemed of less moment than other so called human necessities." While he was speaking a man entered who purchased a pair of spectacles for 25 cents "There is an example," continued the optician "That man's sight will probably become worse But there's a large demand for cheap glasses, and we are forced to supply that demand "—Cincinnati Tribune.

Sir John Macdonald and the Kilts.

Sir John Macdonald was at a reception in the west, and a bishop from Belgium was present. As the party were being escorted by a body of men in highland costume the foreign bishop, seeing the bare legs and kilts, asked why these men were without trousers "It's just a local custom," gravely replied Sir John. "In some places people take off their hats as a mark of honour to distinguished guests. Here they take off their trousers."—Canadian Gazette.

HUMOR

MAKING READY.

In Case Anything Happened They Wanted Things Fixed.

"Is everything ready?" he asked anxiously

"Everything," she replied, with an effort at self control.

"You are sure you have forgotten nothing?"

"Quite sure."

"Where are the children?"

"They are playing in the back yard."

"Have you said goodby to them?"

"Yes."

"Have you spoken to any of the neighbors?"

"I have made all the necessary arrangements with Mrs. Brown."

"She knows what to do in case we don't get back?"

"She does "

"Have you written to your mother?"

"Yes, and I gave the letter to Mrs. Brown to mail in case it becomes necessary."

"How about your life insurance policy?"

"The letter tells where it can be found."

"And mine?"

"I put it with mine."

"Well, the children are sure to be provided for, then, whatever happens," he said, with a sigh of relief.

"Yes, thank heaven!" she answered fervently.

"I presume we might as well start, then," he suggested, after a last longing look around

"I suppose so," she sighed.

"Going away?" asked a stranger in the neighborhood as they started up the street.

"Yes," replied the husband sadly.

"Far?" inquired the stranger.

"Only a few blocks to make a call," answered the husband.

"Only a few blocks!" exclaimed the stranger. "Why, from your preparations, I thought you expected to encounter some great danger."

"We have to cross a trolley car track both going and coming," replied the husband, with quiet determination —Chicago Post.

The Logical Conclusion.

He was leaning dejectedly against a lamppost, contemplating immensities, when I accidentally brushed against him

"Look out," he exclaimed. "Don't you dare dishturb me!"

"Why not?" I asked, turning as I recognized his voice.

"'Caush I'm the shenter of the unicorn—no; I mean un-versh," he explained thickly.

"How did you find it out?" I asked, admiring his egotism.

"Go 'way, foolish man, before you pre—preshipitate chaos!" he expostulated.

"First tell me how you know you're the center of the universe," I insisted

"Ain't everyshing revolving around me?" he demanded indignantly.—Truth.

Art In Austin.

Miss Dauber, a Harlem artist, having finished a picture of a sunset which looked very much like an exploded vermilion factory, took the gem under her arm to Mr Smith's book store on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

"Mr. Smith, I desire to furnish the public an artistic treat. I will leave my picture here on exhibition. I wish, however, you would put a card on it informing the public that it is not for sale."

"Do you think it necessary, Miss Dauber?" replied Smith, after he had examined the picture carefully.—Texas Siftings.

Doomed to Bachelorhood.

Friend—I say, Jack, why don't you marry and settle down?

Jack—Can't

"You have a good income?"

"Yes."

"And your aunt left you a charming house?"

"Yes."

"Then why don't you hunt up a wife?"

"Oh, a wife is easy enough to get That isn't the trouble."

"Then what is the matter?"

"I can't find a servant girl."—New York Weekly.

Precedent Behind Him.

"Say," said the manager expostulatingly, "don't you think it is about time you took on a few new gags? Them chestnuts you are getting off has whiskers a foot long."

"Oh, I guess I'm all right," airily answered the song and dance man. "Old Bill Shakespeare wrote his stuff some thousand years ago, and I see it goes yet."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Sudden Sunday Closing Movement In Central Africa.

—Truth

Describing the Murder.

"Here," said the ancient inhabitant, "is the place where the murder wuz committed."

"Killed in cold blood, was he?"

"No. In Pine thicket "

"Shot right down?"

"No. He wuz all shot up."—Atlanta Constitution.

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He—"Eva, do you favor the bloomer costume?"

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ATTICA, O., May 16, 1894.—Dr. D. B. Hand:—"We owe our child's life to Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. When all other remedies and doctors failed it gave relief in one hour's time. It is with pleasure that I recommend all of Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children. Any mother using them can be sure of getting an article that is safe, effective and reliable. Mrs O. M. Stutzman." Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and all of Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children 25c at all drug stores.

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The new water works tower just completed at Eden Park, Cincinnati, is the highest artificial structure in America. The floor of the tower, reached by elevators, is 522 feet above the Ohio river. The base is 404 feet above the stream.

Scrutinizing the Pigeons.

The French Minister of War has sent a circular to military commanders of districts and of prefects to have a sharp lookout kept on strange pigeons, and to send all that may be taken to the military pigeon depots. The birds are to be kept until it be ascertained whether or not the stamps on their wings were made with the intention of hiding the localities to which they belong.

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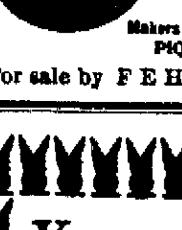

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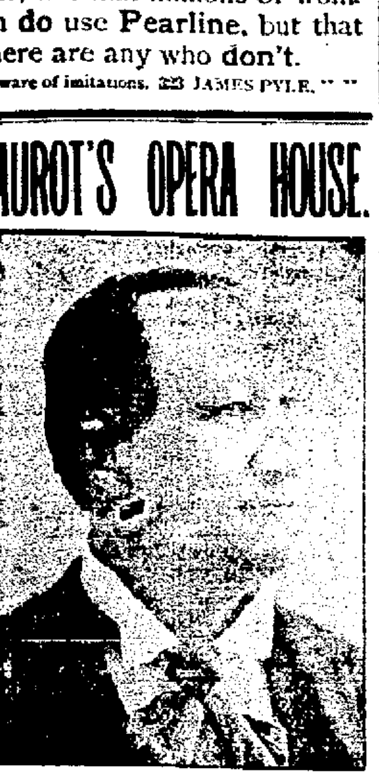

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Of the arrival and departure of trains from Lima, Ohio.

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North.	South.
6:10 a. m	5:45 a. m.
8:40 a. m	9:30 a. m.
1:55 p. m daily	daily 1:30 p. m.
5:05 p. m	daily 6:05 p. m
2:50 a. m daily	daily 2:30 a. m.
7:40 a m—Sunday only	Sunday—7:26 a m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

East.	West.
7:00 a. m. Local	Local 7:00 a. m.
3:30 p. m.	9:10 a. m.
9:15 p. m.	1:12 p. m.
3:48 a. m.	12:08 a. m

P., F. W. & C.

East.	West.
7:45 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
	2:50 p. m.
3:15 p. m.	2:44 p. m.
9:35 p. m.	1:45 a. m.
9:50 p. m. Limited	Limited 3:48 a. m.

L. E. & W.

East.	West.
7:30 a. m.	9:25 a. m.
1:40 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
7:30 p. m.	2:45 a. m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

Depart—South,	Arrive.
8:00 a. m.	12:30 p.m.
4:00 p. m.	7:30 p. m

GOMER EISTEDDFOD

Will Be Held Under a Mammoth Tent.

The residents of Gomer and vicinity are making great preparations for the Eisteddfod which will be held at that place October 30th. There being no hall large enough to accommodate the crowd a big tent, capable of seating several thousand people, will be pitched.

The Lima Choral society will participate and will hold an important rehearsal meeting to-morrow evening.

Y. W. C. T. U.

Meeting to be Held Friday Evening —The Officers.

All the young ladies of Lima, either married or single, who have a desire to unite with the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union will have an opportunity to do so on Friday evening at the Baptist church, where the first business meeting is to be held at 7 o'clock. This is an undenominational organization, and every one who may be interested in the work will be gladly welcomed by this newly organized society.

Rev. Henrietta Moore organized this society last Sunday afternoon with the following officers:

President, Miss Nannie Dearth; first vice president, Miss Neillie Dearth; second vice president, Miss Margaret Snyder; cor. sec'y., Miss Frankie Humphreys; rec. sec'y, Miss Mollie Gottfried, and treasurer, Miss Mattie Tracy.

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CRIDERSVILLE ITEMS.

W. A. Tipple spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandparents, uncle Samuel Spyker.

Ezra Delong and wife returned home Saturday evening from Hocking county.

Mrs. J. W. Morehead spent Monday and Tuesday with friends at No. 119 west McKibben street, Lima.

T. M. Blackburn, of Wapakoneta, was in the burg on last Monday.

Daniel Richie and wife, of Montpelier, Ind., is visiting with their many friends in this place.

Samuel Miller and wife, of Salem, were the guests of Luther Sillires on Tuesday.

Matilda Clement, of Warren, is visiting relatives at this place.

John Moore was seen on the streets again the other day.

Our boys are already making preparations to attend the big Democratic meeting to be held in Lima Oct. 26th.

About twenty Democrats boarded the special train Saturday night and went to the big Democratic meeting at Sidney. J. I. C.

The Darlington, Wis., *Journal* says editorially of a popular patent medicine: "We know from experience that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is all that is claimed for it, as on two occasions it stopped excruciating pains and possibly saved us from an untimely grave We would not rest easy over night without it in the house" This remedy undoubtedly saves more pain and suffering than any other medicine in the world. Every family should keep it in the house, for it is sure to be needed sooner or later. For sale by Melville Bros., next to P. O., and C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

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John Mobler 88, Ethel Danner 82, Elmer McClain 93, Grover DeLong 95, Clinton Sellers 95, Harry Bowsher 73 Walter Kimes 85, Tolbert Mosier 87.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's new Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with pneumonia, succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommend d Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in rts results." Trial bottles free at Melville's drug store. Regular size 50c and $1.

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Gold Nuggets.

The structure of gold nuggets was the subject of a paper recently read before the New South Wales Royal society by Professor Liverbridge. Among other facts stated was the peculiarity of such nuggets, on being cut through or sliced and polished and then etched by chlorine water, of exhibiting a well marked crystalline structure closely resembling the figures shown by most metallic meteorites. On heating such nuggets in a Bunsen burner blebs or blisters form on both the polished and unpolished surfaces, and on still more strongly heating these in some cases burst with sharp reports, and pieces of gold are projected with considerable violence. As no explosions have been observed on dissolving or eating away the crusts of these blisters by chlorine water it is thought that the blebs may probably be due to the evaporization of some liquid or solid substance. Further, in slicing some nuggets, scattered granules of quartz were met with inside, although quite invisible outside. At first it was supposed that such explosions might be due to the quartz, but the gas in some instances continued to issue from the burst bleb—where the aperture formed was small—and forced the Bunsen flame out into lateral, just as if urged by a blowpipe.

In the Sickroom.

Patient (gasping for breath)—Oh, doctor, I feel so weak and ill! If the house were on fire, I don't think I should have the strength to get out of bed.

Servant (looking in at the door)—Please, sir, there's a gentleman wants to speak to you. He says he's got to pay you a bill.

Patient (jumping up)—Quick, hand me my clothes. (Dresses himself in a trice and bolts out of the room, to the intense amazement of the doctor.)—Paris Matin.

To Clean Old Coins.

Old coins may be cleaned by making a hot solution of soda or potash, dipping the coins in this, then for a moment in nitric acid, followed by a thorough rinsing in clear water running from a tap. Potassium cyanide is excellent for cleaning silver coins, but it should be plainly labeled and kept away from children, as it is strong poison.

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Via C., H. & D. Ry. Co.

Atlanta, Ga., and return, tickets good going 1 Dec. 15 and returning until Jan. 7, $27.25, kets good 20 days from date of sale, $20.

Wapakoneta and return Oct. 10, return 18th, rate 45 cents.

Ottawa and return Oct. 10, return 11, rate only 60 cents.

Wapakoneta and return Oct. 8, 9, 10 and 1 return 12, rate 45 cents.

Buffalo, N. Y. and return Oct. 14, return until Oct. 19th, rate only $9.30.

Dayton and return Oct. 21 and 22, return 25th, rate $2 20.

Springfield and return Oct. 22 and 23, return 25th, rate $1 95.

Springfield and return Oct. 23rd, via C., H & D. R. R Special train will leave Lima at 7:45 a. m. on account dedicating Masonic Home. Rate $1.30.

Home Seeker Excursion to the West and Northwest Oct. 22.

Boston and New York.

Take the C., H. & D. for Boston and New York. You can leave Lima at 1:55 p. m., and arrive in New York the next day at 1:45 p. m and arrive in Boston at 8 p m. This is the best and fastest train to New England from Lima H. I. MCGUIRE Tkt. Agt

AN ORDINANCE

To Establish the Grade of McKibben Street, West of Metcalf Street.

Be it ordained by the council of the city of Lima, Ohio, that the grade of west McKibben street, west of Metcalf street, be and the same is hereby established as follows, viz: At west line of Metcalf street 54.80 feet above datum line, which is the same as the top of the present stoning at east line of Metcalf street.

600 feet west of west line of Metcalf street, 56 80 feet above datum line

900 feet west of west line of Metcalf street, 48.80 feet above datum line.

The above is the final grade of the top of the center stoning, the street to be graded ten inches lower before stoning.

The top of the curb shall be three inches lower than the above grade, and the top of sidewalks shall be 3 inches higher than the above grade, or 6 inches higher than the curb stone.

This ordinance shall take effect from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

Passed this 7th day of October, A. D. 1895.

JAMES HARLEY, President of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 6 2t

A RESOLUTION

To Appropriate Property for the Purpose of Opening South West Street, from Kibby Street to the Spencerville Road.

Be it resolved by the council of the city of Lima, Ohio two-thirds of all members elected thereto, concurring as follows, viz:

SECTION 1. That the following improvement is necessary to be made, viz: The opening of south West street from Kibby street to the Spencerville road. That for the purpose of making said improvement the following real estate is desired to be appropriated according to law, viz: The central part of lot number 9, for taxable purposes in the subdivision of the south-west quarter of section 31, town 3, south range 7, east, Allen county, Ohio, by J. H. Phillips, district assessor: bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the north line of Kibby street, where the west line of West street extended south from the south line of Thomas Bros.' addition would intersect the with same; thence north on the west line of said proposed south West street to the north line of said lot 9, and the south line of the Coulson heirs' property; thence northeasterly along the line between the said Coulson property and said lot 9, to the east line of said proposed south West street extended south from the south line of Thomas Bros.' addition; thence south on the east line of said proposed south West street to the north line of Kibby street; thence west on the north line of Kibby street 60 feet, to the place of beginning, containing 15-100 acres of land, more or less

SECTION 2 That the city solicitor is hereby directed to apply to the court of competent jurisdiction in the county for impaneling a jury to make inquiry into, and assess the compensation to be paid for said property.

Adopted this 7th day of October, A. D. 1895.

JAMES HARLEY, President of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 10-9 w th 2w

A RESOLUTION

To Improve Holmes Avenue, from St. Johns Avenue to Hughes Avenue, by Grading the Same.

Be it resolved by the council of the city of Lima, Ohio, that it is hereby declared necessary to improve Holmes avenue from St. John's avenue to Hughes avenue by grading the same to the established grade in accordance with the plans and profiles on file in the office of the city civil engineer. The cost and expense of said improvement shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and lands abutting thereon.

The clerk is hereby directed to cause this notice to be published for two consecutive weeks in some paper of general circulation in the corporation, and Ed Cunningham is hereby appointed to serve notice of this resolution upon the owners of property abutting on said improvement who are residents of Allen county, Ohio.

Adopted this 23d day of September, A. D. 1895.

C. F. METHEANY, President pro tem of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. 25 w th 2w

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder at the east door of the court house in Lima, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, OCT. 26th, 1895,

at one o'clock p. m. the following premises: "The east half of inlot number five (5) in the original plat of the City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, save and except five feet off the south side thereof.

Appraised at $2100.

Terms: One third cash; balance in two equal yearly payments, secured by mortgage on the premises. J. C. THOMSON, Executor of Jane Blake, deceased.

9-19-6t—th&fr.

Notice to Sewer Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon, central standard time, on Friday, October 25th 1895, and opened immediately thereafter, for the construction of the following sewers, viz:

On south Metcalf street, beginning at Kibby street and running south 500 feet, more or less, to be of 12 inch pipe.

On Harrison avenue, from south side of Elm street to Bellefontaine avenue, 850 feet more or less, to be of 12 inch pipe.

Along and through lots numbers 2584, 2585, 1998 and 1999, from Jackson street east 100 feet more or less, to be of brick, 8 feet in diameter.

Each bid will be considered separately and must be accompanied by a sufficient preliminary bond, conditioned that the bidder will enter into contract for said work, should the same be awarded him; final bond in the sum of $250 will be required on each contract.

All work to be done under direction of the City Civil Engineer, and to acceptance of City Council, and the right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

By order of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Lima, O., Oct. 8, 1895. 109 w th-2w

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Samuel Davis, insolvent.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Assignee of the estate of Samuel Davis of Lima in Allen county, Ohio.

Dated this 21st day of September A. D. 1895. W. L. MACKENZIE, Assignee.

Assignee's Notice.

Estate of W. L. Stall, insolvent:

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as assignee of the estate of W. L. Stall, of Lima, Allen county, Ohio All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Dated this first day of October, A. D 1895

10-1-3w W. H. DUFFIELD, Assignee.

RESOLUTION,

To construct Sidewalks on Both Sides of North West Street, from the P., Ft. W. & C. Ry. Right-of-Way North to Corporation Line.

Be it enacted by the council of the city of Lima, Ohio, that sidewalks be built constructed on north West street, from the P. Ft. W. & C. Ry right of way on both sides of the street, north to the north corporation line of the said city of Lima Ohio, along and abutting the following lots and parcels of land, viz:

Outlots numbers [illegible] and 1271.

The same to be constructed in accordance with the general sidewalk ordinance governing the construction of sidewalks in the city of Lima Ohio, and any further special ordinance that may apply thereto, and in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the city civil engineer,

And the mayor is hereby instructed to serve a written notice upon the owner or owners of each lot or parcel of land in conformity with law.

Adopted this 30th day of September, A. D. 1895.

JAMES HARLEY, President of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk. oct2 wed&th 2w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 5485.

Simeon J. Mowen, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Askins et al., Defendants. } Allen Probate Court.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Probate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26th, A. D. 1895.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Inlots numbered 4137, 4138, 4139, 4140, 4141, 4142, 4143, 4144, 4145, 4146, 4147, 4148, 4149, 4150, 4151, 4152, 4153, 4154, 4155, 4156, 4157, 4158, 4160, 4161, 4163, 4164, 4166, 4167, 4168, 4169, 4170, 4171, 4173, 4174, 4176, 4177, 4179, 4180, 4181, 4182, 4184, 4185, 4187, 4188, 4190, 4192, 4193, 4195, 4196, 4198, 4200, 4203, 4204, 4205, 4206, 4208, 4210, 4212, 4213, 4214, 4215, 4216, 4219 and 4220 in Joseph Askins' addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $4800 00.

Terms of Sale—cash.

AARON FISHE[R], Allen C[o.]

Lima, Ohio, September 23, 189[5]

Moore & Watts, Plaintiff's

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on

THURSDAY, THE 10th DAY OF OCTOBER A. D. 1895,

At 10 o'clock a. m., upon the premises, the following described real estate, situated in the township of German, county of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit: "The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section number thirty-one (31), township three (3) south, range six (6) east, containing forty-four (44) acres of land, more or less."

Said property is appraised at $1800.00.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash in hand, one-third in one year, and the balance in two years from date of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by first mortgage upon the premises sold, and to bear six per cent. interest from day of sale.

ISAIAH IMLER, Administrator of the estate of Lydia A. Imler, deceased.

Lima, Ohio, September 9th, 1895. td dw

Wanted—Garbage Grounds.

The undersigned will receive bids at his office until Friday, October 11th, 1895, at 12 o'clock noon for the furnishing and care of garbage grounds for the city of Lima, Ohio, for the period of one year.

Bids must be accompanied by a preliminary bond in the sum of $100.00 conditioned that the bidder will enter into contract with said city, should his bid be accepted.

Final bond in the sum of $1,000 00 will be required of the one to whom contract is awarded.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Lima, O., October 1st, 1895. oct 2w & th 2 w

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For Supreme Judge,
WILLIAM T. MOONEY,
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For State Auditor,
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Of Spencer Township.

For Infirmary Director,
(Short Term.)
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Of Spencer Township.

For Infirmary Directory,
(Short Term.)
ELI MECHLING.

The Republican Ring would like to have Jim Osman's official record in the bottom of the sea until after election.

Let Democrats in Lima and Allen county paste this in their hats: Candidate-for-Treasurer Standish would not vote for a Democrat under any circumstances. Yet he has the assurance to ask them to support him against Gus. Lutz, who is a life-long Democrat, a thoroughly honest and capable man, and one who will fill the office of Treasurer to the perfect satisfaction of the taxpayers of Allen county.

The Democracy of Lima and Allen county are alive to the necessities of the hour, and will give James E. Campbell and the entire State ticket and county ticket an old-time majority next month.

The South Side Democracy will show their enthusiasm by organizing a club to-night. They are fully alive to the situation and will do some tall campaign work during the next few weeks.

The tidal wave of Democracy has started and will sweep over the country next month. The election in Indianapolis shows it, and it will continue growing in volume until the Republicans will be swept away by its force.

The staunch Democrats of the First ward are enthused and will organize a club Saturday night There are enough Democrats in that good old ward to compose a club strong enough to give the Republican Ring in this city the chills from now until after election.

The amount of harmony in the Republican party of Allen county is vividly shown in the lawsuit filed yesterday by G. Hall, one of the party bosses in Lima, against H. D. Creps, one of the party bosses in Auglaize township. There is just the same amount of love between these two chieftains that there is between McKinley and Foraker.

The German brethren in the Democratic party in Lima will meet tonight and organize a campaign club. There are a goodly number of German voters in Lima and they will form themselves into a strong, compact organization which will do yeoman service for James E. Campbell and the entire Democratic ticket on the fifth of next month.

Democrats are already commencing to prepare for the great Democratic meeting in Lima on Saturday, October 26th. It will be an afternoon and evening meeting, and it will be addressed by such distinguished gentlemen as Senator Hill of New York, Senator Brice of Ohio, ex-Governor Campbell and Hon. John A. McMahon. It will be the biggest political meeting ever held in Northwestern Ohio.

John Bond is the Republican candidate for county commissioner. He cannot be elected without Democratic votes, and he and his friends are now asking the Democrats to vote for him. Let Democrats remember, when they are asked to vote for John Bond, that the man who placed him in nomination at the Republican county county convention made an especial plea for John's selection for the position because it was his boast and pride that he had never voted for a Democrat, and would not vote for one under any circumstances. Let such a man get votes out of his own party—from among men whom he would support were the case reversed and they candidates.

A "CLERICAL ERROR."

Another of the monumental blunders made by the Republican administration of this city, by which the tax payers of Lima lose over one hundred dollars in one transaction, has just come to light. And there are others which show how the gang which is now trying to break into the Court House, wastes the public funds. A few years ago when Jim Smiley was clerk of Lima, a piece of sidewalk along a certain piece of property was sold to a contractor to build. The walk was built, was accepted by the council, and an order was issued by Smiley for the amount—about $95.00. The contractor took the order and, as is always the case under a Republican administration, found there was no money in the treasury with which to pay it. It was endorsed "Not paid for want of funds," and at once began bearing interest for the tax payers to pay, in addition to the principal of the order. The contractor sold it to a Lima bank The duty of the clerk was then to certify the amount to the Auditor as a lien against the property to be collected as other taxes, but he made a "clerical error" and did not do it. He got his "books tangled." Eventually the property along which the walk had been built was sold at sheriff's sale. The purchaser, before paying for it, made diligent search for any incumbrances in the way of unpaid taxes filed against it, and finding the taxes which were recorded against it, paid them all, and got a clear deed to the property. As Jim Smiley, the clerk, had failed to do his duty and certify up this order, it was not paid, and the property having passed into the hands of an innocent purchaser, cannot be held for the payment of the order, which with it accrued interest, is yet in the hands of the bank, and must be paid by the general tax payers. The principal and interest now aggregate about $125, the entire amount of which is a positive loss to the tax payers.

The blundering of this Republican officer, lost this amount in one transaction to the people. Will he make restitution? Of course not. It is the tax payers' money which is lost. And yet the Republican Ring of Lima have the temerity to ask the tax payers of Allen County to let them get possession of the county business, that they may carry it on in a like careless manner and wantonly waste the county money' Keep them out.

It is to be sincerely hoped it will work—that new invention for pumping air into bicycle tires automatically. The idea of it is that when the tire is upon the ground its pressure drives upward a tiny piston rod conveniently placed, and that allows air to rush into the inner rubber tube thorough a dust proof filter A spring forces the piston rod down again.

General Campos says he will have nothing less than straight surrender from the Cuban insurgents. But perhaps General Campos will not have the say of it when the time comes.

The ladies, bless them, are holding a vast number of congresses at Atlanta during the exposition. This is now the usual thing. The comfort they derive from meeting together and reading papers is one that nobody would be cruel enough to deprive them of. Then they go back happy to their homes and husbands. "And the band plays on."

The discovery that a variety of wild cane which grows in abundance in the low, marshy lands of the southern states forms a most excellent and nutritious food for farm animals and poultry is something valuable. At the top of the cane is a bunch of tassels and leaves. In the midst of this grows a large number of seeds that have a sweetish taste. Cattle eat the tops with eagerness and thrive immensely. The seeds are shaped like grains of oats, except that they are two or three times as large. There are qualities about the grain that seem to indicate it to be a hybrid between the sugar cane and ordinary field oats, though this is not certain. It could probably be ground into meal or flour and be made into a palatable and nutritious bread. Farmers in localities where it grows are thrashing out hundreds of bushels of the new cereal and storing them for winter use. The United States agricultural department will experiment with it and make report.

Five thousand dollars was spent for the favors given in dancing the german at one of the Newport balls this summer. At the same ball $20,000 was spent for flowers. At Topeka, a short time ago, a man was arrested for burying the corpse of his baby in the back yard. The family were starving and had no money to hire an undertaker.

A collection of specimens of the godlike intellectual attainments of the nineteenth century would not be complete unless it contained the following from Grant Allen: "The Not-Me, when it becomes the Me becomes the Me of the Now & Here—the Me with all its acquired as well as inherited faculties."

The new steamer lately ordered by the Hamburg-American line could take all the inhabitants of an American county in some of the southern and western states on a European excursion at one time. It will carry 1,800 persons. It will be a ship of 20,000 tons, undoubtedly the largest in the world.

The three days of grace clause in legal contracts was put there in the time of mud roads, horse locomotion and bandits. Now there is no occasion for it, and many states are abolishing it, notably the newer states.

Chauncey Depew is right to be pleased over the fact that the distance a crack French train travels in 16 hours, at a cost to each passenger of $78, can be made in America in 10 hours, at a cost of $35.

The *Philadelphia Times* gives the following interesting bit of information: "The truth of the matter is that Philadelphia is not a slow place, anyhow, when you know it."

Uncle Josie Fadd of Red Bank, N. J., has endured the racket of every presidential campaign since 1796, and yet he survives in good health and is not baldheaded.

Four of the battlegrounds of the civil war have now been constituted national military parks. They are Gettysburg, Shiloh, Antietam and Chickamauga.

Atlanta showed its cosmopolitan character by having on exposition opening day addresses from a white man, a colored man and a woman.

IMPORTS INCREASED.

BUT THE AMERICAN MARKETS ARE NOT "FLOODED."

The Increase Consists Mostly of Raw Materials—Comparison of Wool Imports Under New Tariff and McKinley Show an Industrial Revolution.

No friend of the new tariff pretends to dispute the tendency of the new tariff to stimulate import trade, says the Philadelphia Record. It was perfectly natural that there should be an increased demand for certain classes of foreign woolens when the extravagant McKinley duties of nearly 100 per cent on these fabrics were reduced to 50 per cent. But there is no "flooding" of American markets with foreign fabrics to afford any justification for protectionist clamors. On the other hand, the imports of wool, hemp, flax and other raw materials of American industries since their removal to the free list have increased vastly beyond the increase in the imports of foreign fabrics of these materials.

Compare the imports of raw wool during the seven months ending July, 1895, with the same period of 1894. In the seven months of freedom the imports of wool amounted to 141,762,923 pounds, valued at $19,063,151, against 36,907,704 pounds, valued at $4,020,669 in the former period under the McKinley duties. No one can mistake the significance of these comparative returns of trade. What enhances their significance is the fact that since wool was put on the free list the bulk of its imports consists of the qualities for making clothing. Under the McKinley tariff, on the other hand, the wool imports consisted mainly of the coarse grades fit only for making carpets. Thus in the seven months of 1895 under consideration the imports of clothing wool amounted to 87,667,010 pounds, valued at $13,990,745. In the corresponding seven months of 1894 the total imports of wool amounted to 36,907,704 pounds of the value of $4,020,669, and of these imports 26,272,660 pounds consisted of coarse carpet wool valued at $2,205,628. The little remnant of 10,635,044 pounds, valued at $1,815,041, was imported for making clothing

To any one who can read and understand these comparative returns of wool imports under McKinleyism and under the auspices of a free trade mark an industrial revolution. The Textile Manufacturers' Journal asserts that the promises of "diversified" production under free wool remain unrealized. As a professed organ of the woolen trade it can perceive "no tangible confirmation of these claims in the actual experience of the past few months." What, then, is the meaning of the vast increase in the importations of the finest fleeces in the world's markets and of the corresponding decline in the imports of coarse and cheap wool? Do not these facts demonstrate the promptness and decision with which American manufacturers of woolens have seized their opportunity to enter the world's markets and select the best varieties of wool in order to diversify and improve their production? It is not necessary to trace the fleeces of Australia and Argentina from the custom house to the mills where they have been converted into fine clothing, rivaling in quality the best products of European looms. In regard to this industrial revolution, The Record confidently appeals from the organ of the woolen manufacturers to the manufacturers themselves, who know whether or not they have used the great varieties and increased quantities of imported wool for diversifying and enlarging production.

In presence of the beneficent change brought by the genius of commercial freedom the woolen manufacturers of the United States are threatened in Republican party convention with a restoration of the McKinley duties on wool. If the Republicans return to power, they are to be shut out of the markets for the best varieties of foreign wool once more by prohibitory duties and driven back to the course wool whence they may be able to sort a small quantity to mix with the domestic product in making clothing.

Such is the "diversified" production that is promised them under a restoration of the McKinley act. In order to reconcile the manufacturers to a reactionary policy portentous of disaster they are offered the lure of a revival of the extortionate McKinley duties on woolens, with a return of the era of smuggling and fraudulent undervaluations. But even if the great mass of American consumers be left out of the account the American manufacturers of woolens, after enjoying the policy of free wool, will never consent to its surrender.

The Republican Dictator.

It is quite flattering to Boss Quay that there should be a report that the chairman of the Republican executive committee of Ohio waited upon him and asked him to express no presidential preference until after the November election in that state. It puts him in the light of president maker and boss almighty—a dictator for the whole Republican party It will be strange if Boss Platt does not sooner or later exhibit some jealousy of so all pervading a boss.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

New York Democrats United.

The State Democrats who bolted the Syracuse convention have resolved, with just two exceptions, to support the state ticket. On national and state politics the New York Democracy are united from the Atlantic ocean to the lakes, and when thus united they never fail of success.—Philadelphia Record.

Constitution Doesn't Count.

Everybody knows that bounties are unconstitutional, but high tariff legislation has never taken the constitution into account. Really the sugar men are as much entitled to bounty as if they got it from a tariff schedule.—Exchange.

BROKEN ELECTRIC WIRE

Causes a Loss of Property to the Amount of $300,000.

NORFOLK Oct 10—A fire caused by a broken electric wire broke out in warehouse D of the Seaboard Air Line in Portsmouth at 7.20 o'clock last night, which, besides destroying that structure, together with thousands of dollars' worth of freight stored therein, including 700 bales of cotton and nine loaded freight cars, the warehouse and stave yard of Reed Brothers & Company adjoining were consumed, and two men who were cut off from escape jumped overboard, one of them, W. H. Hall, white, being drowned The ferry wharf and a lumber yard intervening repeatedly took fire, but the flames were promptly extinguished by streams from ferryboats.

Aid was sent by the Norfolk and Berkeley fire departments and from the United States navy yard. The firemen succeeded in confining the the fire to the territory mentioned. A barrel of nitrate of soda, the property of Hon. W. R. Grace of New York, stored in the Reed warehouse, exploded with a deafening report. The concussion shook the roofs in that vicinity

The loss is estimated at $300,000, on which there is about $75,000 insurance on the Seaboard Air Line warehouses There is insurance on all the property burned, but the amount cannot be ascertained This morning the fire was under control.

MARKED MAN.

Wants Permission to Carry Arms to Protect His Life.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—David Firestone of Landisville, N. J., who several weeks ago furnished the United States secret service bureau with information that led to the arrest of an alleged gang of Hebrew counterfeiters, is afraid that members of the gang have sworn to take his life. Firestone appeared at the United States marshal's office and asked to be granted permission to carry arms to protect his life.

He said: "I know that I am a marked man Members of the counterfeiters' gang have sworn to take my life. Three of them made an unsuccessful attempt to enter my house on Tuesday night last for the purpose of murdering me I am the only witness against them, and if they could get me out of the way they would be set free.

WORK OF MISCREANTS.

Attempt to Wreck a Train on Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 10.—An attempt was made near Cochran, Ind., to wreck the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern express which left here for St. Louis. The engine struck a dynamite cartridge which had been fastened to the inner rail. Engineer Tom Higson and his fireman were badly stunned. The fireman was unfitted for work. Great damage was done to the engine. A steel rail was blown out of place and a hole blown in the road Fortunately the cars did not leave the track. The motive of the attempt was evidently robbery Several suspicious characters were seen by the trainmen about the place but no attempt at robbery was made by the thieves when they saw that the train was safe.

WANT JAPAN TO STICK.

Serious Agitation Against Vacating Liao-Tung Peninsula.

ST PETERSBURG, Oct. 10—A correspondent of the Novoe Vremya at Blagovetchensk, capital of the Amoor government of Russian Asia, says that advices which have been received there from Japan announce that the anti-European party is seriously agitating against the decision of the Japanese government to evacuate the Liao-Tung peninsula, declaring that the evacuation will cause political complications of a grave nature.

Tied to Tammany.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The executive committee of the society for liberal Sunday laws at a meeting in the Astor House indorsed the Tammany political nominations This society represented the united saloon keepers of the city and its action is regarded as very important.

Her Dress Caught Fire.

FERNWOOD, O., Oct. 10.—While Mrs. Thomas Holmes was standing in front of a grate her clothing caught fire and she was burned to death.

Amelia Rives-Chanler Divorced.

NEW YORK, Oct 10.—A decree of divorce on the ground of incompatibility has been granted Mrs. Amelia Rives-Chanler

Winners.

At Aqueduct—Balnaghie, Samaritan, Marshall, Mabel Glenn, Ethel I

At Latonia—Newark, Aimee Goodwin, Fretful, Sigurd, Sitka

At Sheffield—Julia O Outgo, Charlie McDonald Wolsey, Miles Standish.

At Detroit—Alvarado, Damask, George W, Marble Rock, Northwestern

The Weather.

For Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia—Warmer, winds shifting to southerly.

SNAP SHOTS

At Passing Events In Many Different Places.

Kentucky farmers are discouraged over the prospects of the tobacco crop

At a sale of horses at Lexington, Ky., Woodford & Shacklin sold 31 head for $6,155

Disappointed in love, Luther Wilson, Ellettsville Ind, prominent society man, suicided by hanging

Thirteen vessels and 92 men were lost from the port of Gloucester, Mass, during the past fishing season

The board of health of Greenville, Ills, has ordered the public schools closed on account of a diphtheria epidemic.

A movement is on foot in Mexico to have the United States abolish the tonnage dues charged Mexican vessels

Nine damage suits, aggregating $550,000, filed by ex President Greenhut of the whisky trust in his despair, have been dismissed.

Charles Kain cut John Kain with a knife at Rusk, W. Va, so severely he cannot live John was accused of insulting Charles' wife.

Two men named Turford and Thomas, at Rutherford, W Va, fought with knives Turford was cut almost to pieces and will die.

Dick Carter, negro, is under arrest at Greenup, Ky, charged with assaulting Lottie Weaver, a young girl. Lynching is feared.

The New York court of appeals has affirmed the conviction of "Bat" Shea for the murder of Robert Ross at the Troy spring elections of 1894.

Scrofula, Salt Rheum

And All Other Blood Diseases—How They May Be Cured.

Speaking simply from what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done, not only once or twice, but in thousands of cases, we can honestly say that it is the best remedy for all diseases of the blood, whatever the cause.

By its peculiar Combination, Proportion and Process, it possesses positive medicinal merit Peculiar to Itself.

It has cured the most virulent cases of Scrofula and Salt Rheum, even when all other prescriptions and medicines have failed to do any good.

Blood poisoning, *from whatever origin*, yields to its powerful cleansing, purifying, vitalizing effect upon the blood. If you desire further particulars, write to us as below. Remember that

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass., U. S. A. Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5.

Hood's Pills are the best after dinner Pills. They assist digestion.

What Valkyrie Would Have Done.

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 10—Lord Dunraven's yacht party have arrived here from New York and several of them declare if Valkyrie III had been given fair play she would have won the cup.

Burned His Eyes Out.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Oct. 10.—Painter West, 67, was unloading lime when, by accident, his eyes become filled with lime dust, resulting in complete destruction of his sight.

Father Flaherty's Fall.

GENESEO, N. Y., Oct. 10.—Father Flaherty was sentenced to seven years in Auburn prison for having committed an outrage upon the person of a girl under 16.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $188,438,594; gold reserve, $93,000,845.

New Diocese Authorized.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 10.—Another new diocese was authorized by the house of deputies of the Episcopal convention, that of northern Michigan.

READY! GO!

Start of the Evening Educational Classes at Y. M. C. A.

The preliminary educational class meeting Monday night was a pronounced success in every way. There was a good attendance and interest. The class in stenography, with W. H. Pears teacher, meets Friday evening at 7 o'clock for the first lesson. The classes in penmanship and bookkeeping meet for the first lesson Monday night at seven o'clock, with W. D. Moon teacher. The students in vocal music and orchestra will hold another preliminary meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock All persons interested in these studies should be present at the time indicated.

A good lively game of basket ball was enjoyed in the evening in the gymnasium The boys are working to develop a team that may play match games with teams from other cities.

WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Small family. Enquire at once of Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, No. 512 west Market street.

WANTED—A girl at once. 222 north Elizabeth street. 6 3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework Apply at 122 north McDonald. 6 3t

LOST—Pair of gold glasses, Saturday evening Finder will please at this office and receive reward. 5-3t*

WANTED—Two young men to act as news agents on train. Apply at C., H. & D. depot to Union News Co.

WANTED—Girl to do housework in small family. No washing Apply immediately at 115 south Metcalf street. 4-tf

WANTED—Girl for general house work in small family. No washing or ironing. Apply at once at 609 north Elizabeth st tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Good wages paid Call at 674 west Market street.

FOR SALE—A wooden-frame show case, six feet long, at 518 north Main street.

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Testimonials furnished from Lima people. 443 North Elizabeth street. 4 8t.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

METROPOLITAN BANK

OF LIMA, OHIO.

At Lima, in the State of Ohio, before the commencement of business on the first Monday of October, 1895.

RESOURCES.	DOLLARS.
Loans on real estate	$ 41 419 66
All other loans and discounts	80 663 66
Overdrafts	1 010 36
Due from other banks and bankers	8 192 43
Real estate	6 159 88
Furniture and fixtures	5 063 98
Current expenses	3,904 81
Cash items	1,897 56
Cash	30,002 11
Total	$173 681 45

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	$ 27,000 00
Surplus fund	11 500 00
Undivided profits	6,332 11
Individual deposits	128 849 34
Total	$173,681 45

I, W. H. Duffield, Cashier of "The Metropolitan Bank of Lima, Ohio," do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. DUFFIELD, Cashier.

STATE OF OHIO, } ss.
COUNTY OF ALLEN, }

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of October, 1895.

{SEAL} FRANK E. DUFFIELD,
Notary Public, Allen County, Ohio.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

OIL PRODUCTION

...ow Be Greatly Increased by a New Method

...esult of Experiments by J. W. ...Dyke.—The Discovery has been ...ted

...w method of increasing the ...tion of oil wells has been pat... by J. W. Van Dyke, General ...er of the Solar Refinery, of ...ity, and Herman Frasch, the ...nown Cleveland chemist, who ...nected with the Standard Oil ...any. The method which was ...ed by Mr. Van Dyke is nothing than the forcing by great pres... ...ydrochloric acid into the oil pro... rock, and it promises to revo...ize the "shooting" of oil wells. ...method has been thoroughly in a number of wells in this ...ty, and the result has been than satisfactory.

...ell on the Crossley farm pro... ...g three barrels a day, was ... with the acid and its produc... ...ncreased to ten barrels

...s method is based on the fact ...he oil bearing rock is lime ...tion, which is readily dissolved ...integrated by acids. Hydro... ...c acid is the one preferably ...as it changes forty per cent. by ...it of the rock it dissolves into ...nic acid gas, and the remaining ...per cent into chloride of cal...

The chloride of calcium is ...soluble in water than common salt, while the carbonic acid ...readily bound by the water under pressure.

...e oil bearing rock is made up of particles cemented together. ...cement is more readily acted by the acid than the hard ...cles, therefore when the acid is ...ed back into the rock, it dis... out that part which binds the together; for this reason, when ...twenty tons of rock are dissolved ...nd removed from a well, hun... of tons of rock have been disin...ted and new channels formed, ...ng the rock to give up its oil, ...a cannot be done in any other known.

...e acid naturally follows the rock containing the oil, and ...ever it touches the rock it leaves ...ack of carbonic acid gas and ...ide of calcium The chloride of ...im is taken up by the water, channel or opening remains ...ead... ...ac... to the well By this means measures or pockets can be ...ed which ordinarily would not ...und. Crevices or openings in rock are enlarged; horizontal ...nels are cut to great distances, ...cid seeking out the porous rock contains the oil, making it pos... for one well to drain a scope of ...ory that by the usual method ...d take many wells.

...rge quantities of water are used the acid so that the acid may ...rried long distances, and the ...r be present to take up the rock ...it is made soluble Also the ...r, being under great pressure, ...the carbonic acid gas in large ...tities, and again liberates the ...to rush back through the channels leading to the when the pressure is removed by ...ing the pump. Also, by this ...od pockets or reservoirs can be ...vated at the bottom of a well to ...ve and hold the oil that drains ..., so that small head wells would to be

...UMPED ONLY ONCE A WEEK

...o, that ordinarily have to be ...ped once or twice a day.

...first thought, the average mind ...d conclude that if ten or twenty of acid were put into an oil well ...ould not be neutralized by the rock, and that when re tubed, tubing and cups would be eaten ...he acid. On the contrary, it has ...proven by actual tests in a large that when the acid is pressed ...into the rock it is thoroughly up by uniting with the rock and ...ing new compounds — carbonic gas and chloride of calcium— ...ch are harmless. The chloride of ...ium is taken up by the water and ...mped from the well without in way harming the working barrel ...alves. In fact, the acid does its ...k so completely that not even ...es of acid can be found in the ...er by the most delicate tests ...wn to chemistry. From fifty to hundred barrels of acid are used in one well.

...n applying this process, the tubing rods are removed from the well a one-inch tubing is substituted, ...hing down at least to below the ...ng and usually to the top of the ...bearing rock. This one-inch tub... is coated, so that the acid will affect it, and is termed the acid ... To introduce the acid and do ...njury to the casing it is necessary ...ack the well off below the casing, ...ch can be done with an ordinary ...ker. However, in practice where ...is accessible it is used to serve as ...acker Some three barrels of acid put into the well through the ...i pipe, then the well is filled out... ...of the acid pipe and inside of the ...ng with crude oil, thus, in effect, ...king the well off just above the ...bearing rock.

...n the average small well the oil... ...ring rock is usually close, the ...nnels leading to the well are ...ll, and the oil that reaches the ...l is forced into it by the rock ...ssure, which is generally from a ...ll pressure to four or five hun... ...d pounds per square inch. In in... ...ducing the acid into such rock open the channels, it is ...essary to use sufficient pressure to overcome the rock pressure and to carry the acid back into the rock The pressure necessary for this purpose is had from the hydrostatic column of acid in the acid pipe leading from the top to the bottom of the well, which exerts a pressure of from seven to eight hundred pounds per square inch on the rock. It is sometimes found where the rock is close and the channels small, that additional pressure from that had from the hydrostatic column has to be employed. Then a pump is used to press the acid back into the rock. In such wells the acid will be driven into the rock very slowly at first, possible not faster than a barrel per hour. However, as the acid begins to open up the channels, it is received more freely, and at the finish it will

TAKE THE ACID AND WATER

at the rate of six or eight barrels per hour.

There was sixty-five barrels of acid used in the well on the Crossley farm The channels in the oil rock in this well was so thick that even with a pressure of between eight and nine hundred pounds per square inch the rock would take barely a barrel of acid and water per hour. However, the acid began to perform its work, the channels in the rock were gradually increased so that at the finish the rock would readily take up six barrels per hour. Since doctored this well has been pumped some forty days The oil was increased three hundred per cent. and the gas over four hundred per cent. The increase has been permanent, as the well is holding up

When it is taken into consideration that with one ton of acid one ton of rock can be removed, and that the acid will naturally follow the loose, porous rock, and the low price of acid, one can see how easily and cheaply channels can be excavated in the oil bearing rock extending long distances from an oil well. Any practical oil producers will quickly appreciate the value of such excavated channels.

While this process may seem very simple after the above explanation, yet it has required considerable of ingenuity and skill, and a practical knowledge of oil wells as well as chemical facts, to develop the thought and bring it to its present perfection, so that now an oil well can as readily be doctored with acid as it can be torpedoed, and results obtained that cannot be hoped for from the use of glycerine.

NOW IS the time to select your fur garment. Everything guaranteed. Attend the Opening on Thursday and Friday, this week.

Respectfully,
REYNOLD TREAT,
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A New Hall in Town.

Main street contained a new attraction in the shape of a row of incandescent lights stretched across the walk in front of the O'Connor block, 325 north Main street. Investigation revealed the fact that this illumination was for the purpose of attracting attention to the fact that an Oriental Syndicate had rented the O'Connor block for the purpose of giving a series of lectures, the first of which begins to night, in charge of Dr Delmatine, the world renowned oriental seer, lecturer and examiner in chief for the Oriental Medical Syndicate, of Calcutta, London and San Francisco.

These lectures are free for men and women but children will not be admitted

A GERMAN CLUB

Will be Organized by the German Democrats of Lima To-night

The German voters of Lima will meet to-night at Klauss Hall for the purpose of organizing a campaign club to do service for the Democratic party in the campaign and on election day. All German voters are earnestly requested to be present at above place at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

STILL OUT.

The Steel Works Moulders Have Not Returned to Work.

The Steel Works moulders, who went out Monday and renewed their strike yesterday, demanding the discharge of helper Ralph Hamaker, are still out and their grievence has not been adjusted. They agreed last night that they would go to work providing Hamaker be removed from the floor and employed in some other department and this morning the two committeemen were ready to go to work but the superintendent still refused to accede to their demand.

The committeemen claim that Hamaker took the place of one of the moulders and for that reason they refused to resume work with him.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

Engineer Myers, of the C & E. is running engine 114 on the east local.

Brace Up.

There is nothing better to impart life and vigor than Foley's Sarsaparilla. Trial size, 50c. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, northeast corner Main and North streets.

NOT UNHEALTHY

(Continued from eighth page.)

sists of but I do know that it is very offensive and should be disposed of in some manner. The lime and acids contained in the paper mill refuse are certainly disinfectants but there may be enough impure matter there to counteract the disinfecting lime and acids There does not seem to be any unnatural amount of sickness along Hog creek, but disease germs may be generated there nevertheless and may take effect in other portions of the city."

Dr J. B. Vail—"The city of Lima is the offender in this instance. If there was more substance like that from the paper mills emptied into the creek the result would be still better. The smell is obnoxious. It is true, but the waste is not unhealthy. The city should first take care of its own filth."

Dr T. M Weadock.—"From the present condition of the creek I think it is more beneficial than otherwise. What ought to be done is to ditch the creek and open up a channel so the stream will be open and not clogged up"

Dr S. B Hiner—"If the city would dump the amount of lime into the creek the paper mills do it would be still better."

Dr C N Potts.—"I think if there was more paper mill waste emptied into the creek, it would be better still. Of course the smell is objectionable but we ought to stand that owing to the disenfectant properties thrown off.

Dr. R. D. Kahle, member State Board of Health.—"I think it's a question whether the stuff emptied into Hog creek from the paper mills is unhealthy or not. I am not prepared to say about that, but I do know the city ought to take care of its own sewage. The State Board is compelling this action by all cities now and Lima had just as well make arrangements now as any other time. I have been considering a plan in operation in many places, to obviate the nuisance and will suggest it to the Board of Health.

"I am not in favor of shutting the paper mills by any means. It would be a greater loss to the city of Lima than the expenditure of $10,000 for which I am satisfied the trouble and annoyance can be overcome."

Dr W. E Hover—"I have no more cases of sickness along the banks of Hog creek than in any other portion of the city, but the unpleasant odor and wretched appearance of the creek is a detriment to the city, and the council and board of health should do something immediately to remedy it Lima is far behind other cities of her size in sewerage, and although a big city debt is embarrassing, it would only last for a time, and Hog creek, if not disposed of, will remain in its present condition as long as it is left open and the city's sewage is emptied into it All the damage the paper mills refuse ever did was years ago, when it killed the fish The lime and water is now a benefit rather than a detriment. Dispose of Hog creek first and then the paper mill refuse will be disposed of."

Dr. Anna Geobel—"I do not think the paper mills waste unhealthy. I do think it counteracts the effects of the filth from the sewers which empty into the stream"

Dr. D W. Steiner—"It has always been conceded that lime water is a good disinfectant, and just how the Board of Health figures out it is unhealthy after it gets into Hog creek from the paper mills, I cannot understand. I think the waste, as they call it, has been the salvation of this city, when you take into consideration the fact that the city sewers are emptied into the creek, practically in front of all the houses along the stream"

THE FOOD COMMISSIONER OF OHIO

knows a thing or two about Larrowe's Buckwheat. He was betrayed into making a statement that it was adulterated, but on being called on to substantiate the charge, he had the flour analyzed himself and pronounced it pure Of course he found it pure. It was pure before and has been since. It has been strictly pure for 25 years, and will be strictly pure as long as it is offered for sale. If you want pure buckwheat, ask for and insist on getting Larrowe's Country Buckwheat. Grown in the country, ground in the country, sent sealed from the country to you. 2, 5 and 10 lb. packages. If your dealer hasn't it write to LARROWE MILLING CO., Limited, CORNING, N. Y.

WON THE GAME.

A Grammars Defeat the First High School Boys at Ball.

The tie game of Oct 4 was played off yesterday afternoon, and was a very interesting and exciting game, of which the A Grammars of the West building were victors over the First High School The batteries for A Grammar were Thomas McLaughlin, pitcher and Hurban Mowery, catcher The batteries for First High School were George Kelly, pitcher, and John Overy, catcher.

The score runs as follows:

First High School	2-0 0-0 5—7
A Grammar	1-1-1-3-2—8

STREET TALK.

Counterfeit half dollars of 1894 are in circulation about the city.

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The happiest and proudest man on the L E & W. between Sandusky and Bloomington to-day was the prominent second trick train despatcher, Ernest Bissell. There arrived at his home on Circular street last night, a daughter weighing ten pounds and ten ounces

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Sherman Woerner, the merchant tailor, will soon wed a north Main street belle She was formerly a clerk in Blum's dry goods store.

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Wm Eherman has been appointed janitor of the new public building and Mary McKerron cleanwoman.

UPSET THE LAMP.

Small Fire on Tanner Street Early This Morning.

At 12:50 this morning the central fire department was called out to extinguish a small fire on north Tanner street. The fire was located in a small one story frame structure occupied by a blind colored man named Williams, who claims to be a fortune teller. He said 'his woman' was so nervous that she dropped a lamp, but the neighbors claimed that they had been quarreling all night and that the lamp was overturned in a scuffle. The bed clothing caught fire but the flames were extinguished before much damage had been done.

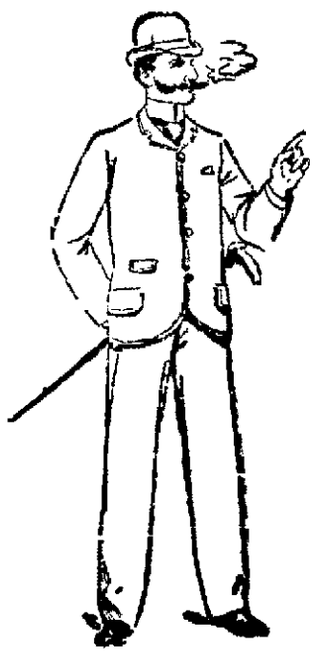
As the Time for

General house cleaning is approaching, every housekeeper should be thinking of getting a supply of soap and washing powder. The Summit City Soap Works, of Fort Wayne, Ind., are here with a force of men introducing the Globe Soap and Rub-No-More washing powder. Both of these articles have been thoroughly tested, and found to be the best washing material in the market Be sure and buy a package of Globe Soap and Rub No-More washing powder, to be convinced that it will do more cleaning with less work than any other soap or washing powder sold to day For sale at all groceries

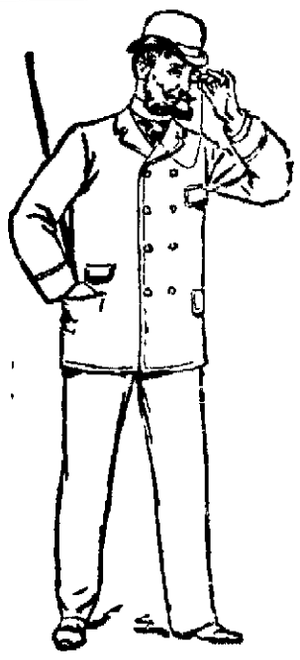
6-2t

Gas bills must be paid today to save discount.

THE MAMMOTH'S FALL AND WINTER IDEALS!



TRY OUR $2.00 DERBYS.



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"'Tis not in mortals to command success
But we can at least deserve it."

The accompanying illustration correctly reflects the TONE and STYLE of a few of the Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats which we are selling at

$8.00 $10.00 $12.00 and $15.00.

But neither cuts—nor type—nor words can do justice to the elegance and excellence of the fabrics and trimmings—the splendid workmanship, the faultless fitting properties, the absolute perfection of each and every garment. The designer's art, the trimmer's taste, the tailor's skill, all have been exhausted in the production of the completed garments; the variety, too, is simply enormous. But all these claims are but "claims" till you see and examine the stock. A visit of inspection will cost you but your time---it incurs no obligation to buy, and it will prove a liberal education in correct dress and comparative values. After paying us a visit you will be fully equipped with all the knowledge necessary to protect yourself in BUYING when you please.

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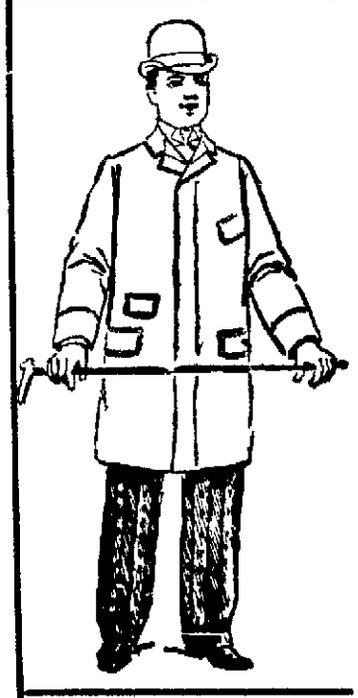

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here you get the latest style, the best wearing goods and the lowest prices, besides the largest stock in Lima from which to select.

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in buying is everything. That the people have confidence in us and our advertisements is demonstrated daily. Last evening we advertised in this column a special sale of Blankets. Three fourths of the entire lot sold to-day. They are St. Marys blankets, some so very slightly damaged as to be almost imperceptible. We are selling them at exactly half price and every pair is a bargain.

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ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or are Going.

Mrs. M. McAninch is visiting friends in Licking county.

Walter Scott left to-day for a visit with his parents at Rogers, Ark.

Miss Mary Enright, of Upper Sandusky, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Foley.

Mrs Geo S. Wagner, of Trenton, N. J., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coates, of 519 west Spring street.

Misses Bert and Clara Applas have returned from an extended visit in Richmond, Indianapolis and Shelbyville, Ind.

Mrs. Foley and daughter, Miss Ella, of north Main street, are home from a visit with Dr Jones and wife, at Gaylord, Minn.

J P Austin, of Lima, was called here yesterday on account of the serious sickness of his sister, Mrs Harrier.—*Sidney News.*

Elmer Golden and family are home from a visit at Fort Recovery. His mother, Mrs A. D. Sawyer, accompanied them for a visit.

Mrs. W. S Kearsley and son, Keves, returned this morning from St. Louis, after a two weeks' pleasant visit with Mrs K.'s mother.

FUR OPENING at Treat's, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 10th and 11th. You are cordially invited to be present. 5 2t

TALKS OF THE TOWN.

Elks meet to-night.

Whittlers meet to-morrow night.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Feichert, of north Jefferson street, a daughter

R. A. Bayles had the middle finger of his left hand badly mashed while handling a big stone at Elizabeth and Elm streets a few days ago.

At Marysville yesterday the circuit court reversed the verdict in the case of Chas. Lieurance, formerly of this city, who was found guilty of the Richwood robbery.

Jack Brannan and Mrs. Mary Welsh were locked up by policeman Blair and special officer Titus last night for being drunk and disorderly. He was fined $9 this morning and both released.

Policeman Blair arrested Wesley Martin, a stranger, last night for driving a broken down horse. He was on his way from Virginia to Waynesfield. He was allowed to proceed to-day.

KILLED AT ADA.

W. Kitchen, a Life Insurance Agent of This City,

Run Down by a P., Ft. W. & C. Train This Morning—Came Here but Recently.

At Ada this morning about 1 o'clock, W. Kitchen, of this city, agent for the Metropolitan Insurance Company, was killed on the P., Ft. W. & C. He was at the depot awaiting west bound passenger No 15, due here at 1:45 o'clock, when a freight came along and it is supposed he attempted to board the train and was thrown under the train and killed. His body was found by the crew of an east bound train on a siding. No one witnessed the accident.

Kitchen came to this city about a month ago and located in room 18, Cincinnati block. He also represented the same insurance company at Delphos and Ada, and went to the latter place several days ago to solicit insurance. He was about 28 years of age and unmarried. His parents, who just moved here from Findlay, live on Pearl street.

A DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Organized in Lima Last Night with a Large Enrollment

Every Democrat Enthusiastic over the Brilliant Prospects of Carrying Ohio this Fall.

The call published for the meeting of Democrats at the assemble room last night to organize a permanent club, brought out a large crowd, enthusiastic for the organization of a club which would assist in the carrying of the campaign from now until election day. The meeting was called to order by Judge Robb, who announced the purpose of the meeting and moved that E. E. Linn be made temporary chairman. The motion passed and Philip Walthers was made temporary secretary. These officers were upon motion made the permanent officers of the club. The subject of a name for the club was discussed, and that of the "Allen County Democratic Club" was adopted.

A committee consisting of J. N. Hutchison, Charles L. Bell and Sheriff Fisher was appointed to take signatures to the organization papers from among those present. The canvass resulted in the taking of over a hundred signatures. A committee to obtain further signatures to the membership list was appointed as follows: J. C. Cronley, Jerry Shine, Wilbur Fisk, Jno. A. Mohr, John Crumrine, John Hunton, Hugh Cooney.

A committee on rules and regulations was appointed as follows: Jno. McVey, John Klatte, Cloyd J. Brotherton, R. A. Hickey, J. C. Ridenour, W. L. Mackenzie and William R. Mehaffey.

A motion was made that the chair appoint a committee composed of one from each precinct to co-operate with the Executive Committee at the meeting of Oct. 26, and also in the work of the present campaign. The chair will announce the members of that committee at the meeting tomorrow evening.

A committee, consisting of the chairman, secretary and R. L. Bates, was appointed to secure permanent quarters for the club.

The preliminary work of organization having been concluded, the club adjourned to meet Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the assembly room For thif meeting the chairman has issued the following

NOTICE:

The Allen County Democratic Club will meet in the assembly room at the court house, at 7:30 Friday evening, Oct. 11th, when the names of all committees to be appointed will be announced.

E E LINN, President.
P WALTHER, Secretary.

OIL AND GAS.

Hoffman & Young's No. 5, on the Bowsher, drilled in the fore part of the week and shot, is doing 200 barrels.

Gas bills must be paid today to save discount.

NOT UNHEALTHY.

So the Physicians of Lima Unanimously Declare.

The Paper Mill Waste is a Benefit Rather Than a Detriment to the Health of the City.

Below will be found the result of interviews held by representatives of the TIMES-DEMOCRAT with nearly all the physicians of the city, in reference to whether or not the paper mill refuse is unhealthy.

As is known the Board of Health has ordered the paper mills to discontinue the emptying their waste into Hog creek and if an effort is made to enforce the order the result will probably be that the plant will be removed from Lima.

As will be found by reading the interviews not a physician pronounces the paper mill waste productive of disease, while on the contrary they assert that if it were not for the lime water from the mills being emptied into the stream it would be far worse.

The paper mill waste not being unhealthy the question arises as to what legal right the board of health has to issue the order it has. The city is to blame for emptying its sewers into the creek and should first set the example of taking proper care of her own and disease-breeding filth rather than continue to empty its sewers into the creek and attempt to shut off the paper mill waste, which in a measure kills the germs of disease born in the sewage. The council will hold a special meeting in reference to the matter to-morrow evening. Here is what the physicians say:

Dr. Bowser.—"I cannot condemn Hog creek or especially the refuse portion it receives from the paper mills for in my experience there has been less sickness among families that have lived for years upon its banks than in other parts of the city. I have never analyzed any of the water from the creek but I am of the opinion that there is nothing unsanitary about it except the portion it receives from the city sewers."

Dr. Fred L. Bates.—"The city is at fault and not the paper mill people. The sewage is of course unsanitary but the paper mills is chiefly chloride of lime which is a good disenfectant. Were it not for that lime it is reasonable to suppose that the condition of the creek would indeed be terrible on account of the sewage emptied into it, but as it is, the lime is a disenfectant and the sewage cannot but be more or less purified. It is even probable that some sickness is prevented in the community by the paper mill refuse, rather than that it creates sickness. There are very few cases of illness along the banks of the creek. Of course it is unsightly, the odor is unpleasant and it is a detriment to the city by reason of those facts. That should be remedied immediately because we do not like to have visitors disgusted with our city. I do not think there have been any cases of typhoid or malarial fever in which the cause could be attributed to the creek."

Dr. A. Meisse—"The refuse from the paper mills is not unhealthy. On the contrary, during the epidemic of diseases we had in 1885, the people living along Hog creek were the healthiest, and among the large number of calls I had there was not one from along the stream. There is not enough acid in it to hurt anyone. That from the Solar refinery is much worse, and when the air is heavy you can hear people coughing for miles around. The lime turned into Hog creek disinfects it. I was on the Board of Health when the same matter was agitated, some years ago, and made a careful study of the matter, and I say most emphatically that there is nothing unhealthy emitted from the paper mills."

Dr. W. H. Harper—"The refuse from the paper mills I would say, is not as much unhealthy as it is annoying."

Dr. Shelby Mumaugh—"I have not given the matter much attention, but from what I have observed the city is to blame for not having better sewerage. The lime is so strong that it discolors the paint on the houses along the stream, and it surely must do considerable disinfecting. The filth emptied into the creek, especially from the Tanner street sewer, is awful, and I am of the opinion that it would be worse and a great deal unhealthier were it not for the paper mills emptying into it. My opinion is that the city is alone to blame if there is anything unhealthy in Hog creek, and not the paper mills."

Dr. S. S. Herrman—"I am of the opinion that the smell to Hog creek is most obnoxious. As regards the waste from the paper mills being unhealthy, I not believe it is You take, for instance, the acid alone which is said to be emptied into the stream, and it would act as an oxodizer and thus be healthful rather than otherwise. Let a map of this city be made and dot where contagious disease exists, and you will find thyt there is less disease and sickness along Hog creek than any place in the city. It's such places as the end of the Timberlake sewer that cause disease and death. If it was flushed with the paper mill waste, as is Hog creek, there would not be the sickness there at the end of the sewer."

Dr. A. S. Rudy, Health Officer—"We are simply requesting the American Strawboard Co. to do what any private individual would be compelled to do. I do not think there is anything in the refuse emptied into the creek from the paper mills that is detrimental to the health of any one in the community. On the contrary, the lime and water is a benefit, but the trouble is here: the dirt and heavy matter from the straw lodges against the rock, forms an obstruction and clogs up the water course so that the city sewage, which I consider the only unsanitary matter in the creek, is held and pools of filth are formed. We do not object to the water or lime that the paper mill people empty into the creek, but the emptying of the dirt into it, filling it with filth, should, I think, be stopped, and I believe that when the American Strawboard Co. is notified to clean up it will be done. Furthermore, I do not anticipate the closing down of the mills on account of the request made by the board of health."

Dr. T. M Johnson—"I do not believe the stuff emptied into Hog creek from the paper mills is detrimental to health, and I think the records will bear me out in stating that the health of people living along the stream is as good as any place in the city."

Dr. T. R. Terwilliger.—"I cannot approve of the action of the Board of Health in this matter and I fear they have acted hastily and without thorough consideration or investigation. We frequently hear some one remark, 'It's a wonder there isn't more sickness along that stinking creek.' Well, the reason there is not more sickness is because the paper mill refuse is full of lime and is a disenfectant. Have I ever had a case of sickness in which the cause could be attributed to Hog Creek? No sir, and no one else has."

Dr. J. S. Jenkins.—"I do not know what the contents of the creek con-

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FOURTH AND FIFTH WARD DEMOCRATS

Will Meet to Organize a Democratic Campaign Club To-night.

The Democrats of the Fourth and Fifth wards will meet to-night for the purpose of organizing a campaign club, an auxilary of the Allen County Democratic Club which was organized last night. It is requested that every Democrat in these two wards be at the meeting which will be held in Ebner's room on Kibby street, just east of Main, at 7:30 to-night.

FIRST WARD DEMOCRATS.

A Democratic Club to be Organized Next Saturday Night.

The Democrats of the First ward, Lima, are requested to meet next Saturday night for the purpose of organizing a First Ward Democratic Campaign Club, which will be auxiliary to the Allen County Democratic Club. Let there be a general attendance of every Democratic voter from this ward to organize a strong club. tt

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COURT HOUSE NEWS.

NEW CASES.

C. E Haines vs. E F. Davis, Joel Crabb, Roy Crabb, Ed Elgea, W S. Simpson, Geo Gibson and John Yeazel Appeal

D F Fye vs same

S. M. Stover vs. same.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

C. C Cowles and Lillian Orchard.

Chas Hertenstein and Clara Long.

William Gottfried and Marguerite Seigler.

FELL DOWN STAIRS.

Three-Year-Old Son of Chas. Schoaf Badly Injured Yesterday.

About noon yesterday the three-year old son of Charles Schoaf, living near the Ridenour school house, in Perry township, in attempting to climb down a stairway lost its balance and fell to the bottom of the flight, sustaining a serious wound above the right eye

Dr. Rowser was hastily summoned and administered to the little patient, who is now doing nicely.

BUILD MORE HOUSES.

Lima never in Need of Dwelling as at Present.

Mr. Beard removed his household effects here from Kentuckey two weeks ago and the same is still stored away in the freight house, Mr. Beard being unable to obtain a residence Their two dogs have also been held as prisoners at the Adams Express office, as their owner has no home to take them to

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